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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Eugene Cooper Is An Eagle Scout

Eugene Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper, Pahokee, received the Eagle award, the highest given in Scouting, at the Court of Honor held by Boy Scout Troop 628 of Pahokee, Saturday evening, at Boy Scout Beach. Vance Denton, district advancement chairman made the presentation. Mrs. Cooper, Earl's mother, was also honoring with a miniature pin and sterling silver necklace.

The Girl Scouts led the group in the pledge of allegiance and in singing "America the Beautiful." Bill Moss, Cubmaster of Pack 623, gave the prayer.

A program of Indian dances was presented by members of the Order of the Arrow from Okeechobee and Belle Glade.

W. A. (Pop) Reynolds, a veteran in Scout work, who was present, was given recognition.

Mrs. Ethel Johnson, chairman of the Pahokee Girl Scout Cypress Neighborhood Ass'n was introduced my master of ceremonies, W. D. Howard. She in turn, introduced her assistants.

The den mothers of Pack 623 were presented to the group by Cubmaster, Bill Moss.

Following the introduction of the new assistant Scoutmaster Mike McMichael, by Scoutmaster Thomas Martinez, he presented the following awards: Dennis Milliron (Continued on Page 8)

Devils Meet Fort Pierce Tonight

Pahokee Blue Devils will travel to Fort Pierce tonight where they will meet the eleven-representing Fort Pierce high school on the gridiron in the Devil's fifth game of the season. To date they have lost none.

The local squad has had an unusually good season thus far and have defeated Clewiston, Riviera Beach, Naples and Forest Hill. Hundreds of supporters will go along with the Devils to the east coast city for tonight's encounter.

Parents May Visit School Lunch Room

"National School Lunch Week" October 15-19, will be observed at the Canal Point School cafeteria, Mrs. Lola Carter, manager, has announced.

Although parents may visit the cafeteria any time during the year, a special invitation is extended to them next week.

Mrs. Carter has made special plans for the parents of the children in the first through the fourth grades to visit and have lunch on Tuesday. Parents of pupils from the fifth through the eighth grades are expected on Thursday. The price per lunch for a parent is 50 cents the usual adult price.

Mrs. Minter Collins returned Wednesday from Orlando where she visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smith.

Farm Bureau To Meet Gainesville

GAINESVILLE — Members of the Florida Farm Bureau Federation's 21-man Board of Directors will meet here October 12th for their final meeting of the year.

E. H. Finlayson, F. F. B. F. President from Greenville, will preside at the one-day meeting at the state headquarters building. The meeting will begin at 8:30 a. m.

Business included for discussion by the group, representing every section of the state, will be the final plans for the F.F.B.F.'s 21st annual state convention at Tampa, November 11-14.

Finlayson recently appointed presidents from each county Farm Bureau in the state to serve on this year's resolutions committee, in preparation for the upcoming state meeting.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Weeks, 63

Services for Mrs. Venera Gertrude Weeks, 63, of Canal Point, who died at a local hospital Saturday, following an extended illness, were held Monday afternoon at the Canal Point Baptist Church with Rev. Robert A. Shelley, pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church, officiating. Graveside services were held by the Order of Eastern Star at the Port Mayaca Cemetery.

Palbearers were her nephews, Otis Tanner, Deerfield Beach; Jesse and Donald Barnes, South Bay; Ray, Thomas and Robert Barnes, Lake Worth; and Murray Weeks, Belle Glade.

Born in Blackshear, Gr., she had been a resident of Canal Point since 1923, coming from Avon Park. She was a member of the Canal Point Baptist Church and Pahokee Chapter 184, Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, J. G. Weeks; four sons, James of Pahokee, Jacob of Okeechobee, Robert of Miami and Rev. Trevette of Chisley; six daughters, Mrs. Elaine Smith and Mrs. Christina Nichols, both of Canal Point; Mrs. Yvonne Guerrey and Mrs. Venera McCarty, both of Belle Glade; Mrs. Myrtice Calhoun of Miami, nad Mrs. Juanita Lockmiller of Winlock, Wash.; three brothers, Robert, Riley and Ray Barnes, all of Lake Worth; one sister, Mrs. Nattie Dorina Tanner of Deerfield Beach, and 29 grandchildren.

Wetherington Funeral Home of Pahokee was in charge of arrangements.

Bill Maxson Plays On Winning Team

Bill Maxson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maxson of Canal Point, is attending Emory and Henry College and has been shifted from the third grid team to the second team and played nearly all the game this past Saturday. William and Henry defeated Washington and Lee by a score of 38-33. It was the first defeat for Washington and Lee in 23 games.

Local Winners In Annual Chick Show

Nancy Harrington, Dicky Strayer and Ross Harrington all of Canal Point, were award winners in the annual Poultry Show, sponsored by the Sears, Roebuck Foundation, and held last Saturday in the Mount's Agricultural Building on Military Trail, West Palm Beach.

All three of the Canal Point 4-H members taking part in the show received prizes. They competed with eight other 4-H members of Palm Beach County. Nancy Harrington was awarded the third place blue ribbon and \$15.00 in cash; Dicky Strayer, the fourth place red ribbon and \$10.00 in cash, and Ross Harrington, the fifth place red ribbon and \$10.00 in cash.

Each year in April the Sears Foundation presents to the 4-H Club members, wishing to take part in the Poultry Show, 50 sexed Rhode Island pullets to care for until they are approximately six months old. Ten of the best pullets of each lot are selected for the exhibit. The judging is based on the number of pullets raised to the age of six months from the starting lot of 50, the general appearance of the ten selected for exhibit and the completeness of the record kept while they are being raised.

Raleigh Griffith, assistant agricultural agent of Palm Beach County, was in charge of arrangements for the show. Lester Kalch, poultry specialist from the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Florida, served as judge, and a representative from Sears Foundation made the awards.

Velma Williams Is Worthy Advisor

Miss Velma Williams was installed as worthy advisor of Pahokee Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls, at the installation service held Sunday afternoon in the Masonic Hall. Other new officers are Sharon Watson, worthy associate advisor; Peggy Turner, Charity; Hazel Sheppard, Hope; Mary Lee Adams, Faith; Willadene Todd, chaplain; Elaine Adams, drill leader; Priscilla King, Love; Penny Pennington, nature; Tina Maxwell, immortality; Amy Young, patriotism; Elaine Salvatore, service; Wilma Cooper, cordial observer; Tana Zane Lance, outer observer, and Gail Reeves, musician.

Installing officers were Miss Elizabeth Humphries, worthy advisor; Mrs. Jessie Barnes, marshal; Miss Gale Sears, chaplain; Mrs. Grace Graham, installing musician, and Miss Amy Young, recorder.

Refreshments of punch and a beautiful rainbow cake were served by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, parents of Miss Velma Williams.

The regular meeting of the Pahokee Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls, was held Monday night, with the newly installed (continued on page 8)

Local 4-H Names New Officers

Maxine Trett has been elected president of the Canal Point Girls 4-H Club.

Miss Ann Sims, assistant County Home Demonstration agent, and Mrs. Gladys Harrington, faculty sponsor and club leader, attended the election and reorganizational meeting.

Other officers elected were Gloria Hall, vice president; Sandra Jackson, secretary; Joan Parker and Stephanie Gingery, recreational chairmen; Sibyl Hayes and Ralena Ursry, devotional chairmen; Peggy Bitting, reporter; and Pamela Ursry, song leader.

Miss Sims was in charge of membership registration and explained 4-H work plans for the coming year.

Pahokee PTA Has Halloween Plans

The Girl Scouts of Pahokee Troop 30 gave the opening exercises at the meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association held, Monday night, with the president, J. H. Wilkinson, Jr., presiding.

Father Lossing of the Belle Glade Episcopal Church led the devotional.

Members approved giving \$250 to the Elementary School library for air-conditioning as funds become available. Also approved giving \$250.00 toward air conditioning the high school library, if any organization takes on that project.

Duane Rhoades was elected parliamentarian for the year.

It was announced that a new policewoman Mrs. Guy Wood, has been assigned to assist the children across the street at the Elementary School.

Herman Close of Belle Glade spoke on the special classes being held in Belle Glade for children who have fallen behind in their class averages.

Mrs. Esther Ager was introduced as the new English teacher for the eleventh grade.

The room counts were awarded to Mrs. R. S. Douthitt's third grade and R. G. Whiteside's eighth grade.

President Wilkinson announced that he and Deputy Sheriff Lee Wroten will have charge of a hamburger booth for the PTA at the Halloween Carnival on October 31. The Carnival opens at 6:30 p. m. and all parents and friends are urged to attend and purchase their evening meal there.

HOME FROM KENTUCKY

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Scott and Mrs. Wilma Alley are expected to return Sunday from McAndrews, Ky., where they were called last Saturday, by the illness of Mrs. Scott's and Mrs. Alley's mother, Mrs. Gertrude Hackney. Word has been received here that Mrs. Hackney is recovering satisfactorily from surgery performed on Monday.

Taxes To Be Lower In City Of Pahokee

Every now and then the taxpayer gets a break in a tax reduction and this year is the lucky one for Pahokee Taxpayers. The Council has set the millage at 11 mills and this shows a reduction of one mill for the 1962-63 taxes.

The city budget will be \$277,000 for general operations and \$120,000 for the Pahokee water works. Total budget is \$397,000.

Total non-exempt property valuation in the city this year is \$6,610,366, an increase of \$360,843, over last year, according to City Clerk Patricia Batchelor.

The city bond debt will be retired this year, using 35 of the total 11 mills, Miss Batchelor said.

The remaining 10.65 millage is expected to bring in an income of \$70,178.85, which will be used for general operating expenses.

Other principal sources of income for the city will be cigarette tax, estimated at \$44,000; bonds and forfeitures, \$26,000; occupational licenses, \$15,000; garbage revenue, \$24,000; utility tax, \$36,000; Florida Power and Light Co. franchise payment, \$14,000.

Among municipal projects planned for next year are a sewer feasibility survey, to cost \$750, and construction of a small boat dock for the lake front, \$1,000.

Glades Roofing and Sheet Metal (continued on page 8)

Edgar Wilder Is Pres. Of Pioneer

Edgar Wilder of Pahokee, cane and vegetable grower, was elected president of Pioneer Growers in Belle Glade at the annual meeting held on Tuesday night of this week. Mr. Wilder succeeds Robert Apelgren of Pahokee who remains on the board of directors.

Other officers elected at the meeting were: Woodrow Buss, vice president; E. A. McCabe, executive vice president and the following directors: James A. Ball, Jr., Pee-wee Kirchman, Walter Schlechter, Robert Apelgren and Mrs. H. Chumbley.

Cafeteria Staff At County Meeting

Mrs. Dorothy Stanley, manager of the cafeteria at the Pahokee schools, and several of her staff, attended the meeting Saturday morning of the Palm Beach County Food Service Association at the Glades Correctional Institution, where members were taken on a tour of the canning plant. Following a business meeting of the Association in the chapel, the group of 120 were served lunch in the dining room.

Others attending from Pahokee were Mrs. J. L. Humphrey, Sr., Mrs. Joe Repper, Mrs. C. B. Kelley, Mrs. Leonard Geiger and Mrs. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Apelgren had as guests, last Saturday, Dr. and Mrs. Thurston Adams of the University of Miami.



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The Farm Front



Health authorities in Boston, Mass., which prides itself on being the "home of the bean and the cod," were greatly concerned recently about a brightly colored bean, pea or seed which they were told was being grown in Florida. Two Massachusetts children were hospitalized after eating the beans.

A phone call from Boston to this Department started us running down all available information on the particular plant from which it is derived. Here's what we found:

It's commonly known by many names—rosary bean, crabeye, jealousy pea, black eye Susan, wild liquorice, etc.—but its scientific name is "abrus precatorius L." It's a native of Burma and has been widely distributed around the world in tropical and sub-tropical climates.

How long it has been in Florida, no one seems to know, but people I have talked to tell me they have seen it for the past 40 years or more, and its use for decorative purposes on souvenirs of many varieties has been common in south Florida for many years.

Because they had the impression this plant was being cultivated in Florida, the Boston authorities were of the opinion we might be of assistance in locating such sources and preventing its production. In the light of information we gleaned, it appears this would be an impossible task.

"In Florida it (abrus precatorius) is rarely planted but has become a weed . . . from Orlando southward," writes Dr. Erdman West, botanist and mycologist of Florida Agricultural Experiment Station. The bean is a deadly poison if chewed and swallowed. Its toxic substance, "abrin," is said to be similar to snake venom though not as powerful. In India, where the bean has been used as a standard of weight by druggists and jewelers, it also has been used for criminal poisonings.

Dr. West reports, however, that "the seed coat is very hard and impervious to moisture so that whole, uncracked seeds may be swallowed with little or no danger. One seed, thoroughly chewed and swallowed, is sufficient to cause fatal poisoning of an adult human being."

Naturally, the seed or bean is poisonous if eaten by farm animals. It is believed a couple of ounces of them will kill a horse. So, it's a mighty lethal little item. Ovoid in shape, less than 1-4 inch long, bright scarlet in color except for the lower one-third which is jet black, its brilliant coloring and hardness make it a

musthrooms—there's no satisfactory guide available for identification of edible wild mushrooms in Florida.

Hydroponics—the science of growing crops without soil—has been practiced in Florida on a limited scale commercially for a number of years. Tomatoes grown by this method usually command fancy prices. However, field production of vegetables and fruits far exceeds the small volume produced by hydroponic culture.

I was interested, therefore, in a recent call at my office by a Florida west coast businessman seeking information concerning marketing prospects for water cress, tobacco plants and pepper plants which he could produce with a hy-

droponic "machine" that he has obtained.

With this equipment, costing about \$15,000, he stated his associate up north can grow a crop of 6-inch oats producing a daily harvest of about one ton which he asserts is equal to a field crop obtained from 100 acres. The hydroponic oats can be produced in a building with very small floor space, from 200 to 300 square feet, our caller said. In Florida he would expect the building to be air-conditioned. The cost per ton, he estimates, is about 25 to 30 per cent less than for field oats.

I was surprised when the caller said he is a paint manufacturer. But the possibilities of specialized agricultural production intrigue him and if the market potential

exists, he intends to pursue his idea. He agreed, however, that considerable field research would be necessary to prove the hardness and value of any plants grown by his "machine" method.

Students Chosen For Civic Clubs

Pahokee High School senior boys selected by the faculty to represent the school as student members of local civic clubs are Robert O. (Buddy) Lampi II, Pahokee Rotary Club; Mike Watkins, Pahokee Lions Club; and Eugene Stacy, Canal Point Lions Club.

The student member will have the privilege of inviting a guest to each club dinner or luncheon meeting during the year.

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All work and no play makes for a tedious life. Therefore, here at the Everglades Federal we thought you would like to hear University of Florida foot ball games this fall and we've made arrangements to sponsor them on WWSW. So, be sure and tune in and get the colorful play by play description right from the playing field. It is just another small part that we like to play in a wonderful community that has been so good to us.

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Telephone fashions have changed, too. Today's homes include multi-extension phones, home interphones and the melodic bell chime. Businesses rely on such modern equipment as the dial switchboard, the speakerphone and the call director. Tomorrow will bring the phone that turns on the oven while you're out, and the phone that lets you see the person to whom you're talking.

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Handicapped Are Seeking Work

TALLAHASSEE — Governor Farris Bryant has joined with the Florida Industrial Commission in urging employers to employ capable handicapped workers in observance of Employ the Handicapped Week in Florida.

With dates for the drive set for Oct. 7 through the 13th, Bryant said that handicapped persons have proven time and again they have the ability to make good in jobs for which they are fitted.

Florida's Chief Executive stressed that handicapped workers "are just as reliable, just as steady, just as careful as their able-bodied fellow workers. It is good business to hire the handicapped," he concluded.

Last Rites Held For G. Simmons

Funeral services for Grant Simmons, the 24-hour old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simmons of Canal Point, who died September 30, were conducted October 2 by Elder Reuben Barfield, pastor of the First Missionary Baptist Church of Canal Point, at the graveside at Port Mayaca Cemetery.

Surviving, in addition to the parents, are a brother, Thomas, and a sister, Geraldine.

Wetherington Funeral Home of Pahokee was in charge of arrangements.

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REP. JERRY THOMAS

Rep. Jerry Thomas Asks Re-election

State Representative Jerry Thomas, who was elected a member of the Florida House of Representatives in 1960, has formally announced he will be a candidate to succeed himself in this office as a Democrat in the coming November general election.

Representative Thomas was elected to the Florida Legislature in 1960 and has served with such distinction since then, that the members of the Florida Senate and House, by secret ballot, voted him the outstanding first-term member of the House of Representatives for the 1961 Legislative session. This recognition earned him the coveted "Allen Morris Award" for meritorious public service.

The Associated Press reported that he was, "among solons who received votes in the News Reporters' and Editors' Poll as the 1961 Florida Legislature's most valuable member."

Representative Thomas stated that "I stand on my record of performance in accomplishing each of the respective planks of the platform on which I first ran in 1960. The citizens of Palm Beach County are entitled to experienced representation and the highest professional service in the Legislature. My experience in government, public service and business meets this need as reflected by past performance of efficiently and effectively getting the job done."

"My record unequivocally reflects that my actions in this high position of public trust have been fair and level-headed and always executed with a profound regard for the dignity and rights of each individual citizen. I intend to conduct myself and the affairs of this eminent office with the same degree of integrity and righteousness as I have in the past so as to continue to emanate credit and honor to all the citizens of this County, State and Nation," declared Thomas.

For his outstanding work in the Legislature and public service for the citizens of Palm Beach County, he received the "Good Government Award" in 1961. He received State recognition this year when he was further honored for public service to the citizens of Florida by being chosen as one of "Florida's Five Outstanding Young Men" for 1961. He was recently nominated for one of the "Ten Outstanding Young Men in the United States."

Rep. Thomas was prominent in his legislative work in outlawing the fraudulent "Eight Percenters"; reduction of the intangible tax; establishment of the Florida Atlantic University in Boca Raton; passage of the Humane Slaughter Bill; retention of Lake Okechobee by Palm Beach County and insurance and securities legislation in general.

Thomas's scholastic and extracurricular activities won him honorable mention for the annual "Ten Outstanding American College Student Leaders" award.

He resides with his wife and five children at 612 Australian Circle, Lake Park, where he serves as an Elder of the Immanuel Presbyterian Church.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY BIG DIVIDENDS

Methodist Circles In Monday Meets

The four circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Pahokee Methodist Church will hold meetings next Monday, October 15.

Members of the Vena Mae Schroder Circle will meet at 10:00 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Hundley; the Simonson-Lair Circle at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. V. Thomas, Sr., with Mrs. W. M. McClenihan, co-hostess. The two night circles will have meetings at 8 p. m. Mrs. D. W. Cunningham will be hostess for the Miriam Circle, and members of the Gertrude Shirley will meet at the home of Mrs. Milton Salvatore, with Mrs. J. E. Wilson as co-hostess.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY BIG DIVIDENDS

Candidates Tell Rotes Of Virtues

Six candidates for the Palm Beach County School Board, subject to the election on November 6, were guest speakers at the luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Rotary Club, last Thursday, with the president, Dr. E. C. Johnson, presiding.

Thurmond Knight of Lake Park, retiring School Board member, introduced the speakers who were Don Thorp and Ronald Bohle, both of Delray Beach; Louis Bills, Lake Park; Robert Johnson and Jack Eassa, both of West Palm Beach, and Harold Tanner of Boca Raton. Each candidate spoke for about five minutes.

Visitors were N. T. Taylor and Dr. Howard Hill, both of Belle Glade, and John Carr of Pahokee.



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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Scruggs of Runyon had as Sunday guests, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clark, Jr. and family of Miami, and Mr. Clark's father, J. E. Clark, Sr. of New York City, who is chief engineer for the Prudential Steamship Company there.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Powell entertained with a steak dinner at their home, Wednesday evening, for the personnel, and their wives, of the Glades Equipment Company. Approximately 20 guests were present.

Mrs. J. V. Chastain was able to return home Tuesday from St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach, where she had been a patient for a week.

Mrs. Theresa Conway of West Palm Beach, who has recently moved to Florida from Montana, is the house guest this week of her father, Albert Fremd in Canal Point.

Mrs. H. L. Pitts, her daughter Sherrell, and Johnnie Rainier left Sunday for a ten-day visit with Mrs. Pitt's brother, Roy Aldridge, in Cullman, Alabama.

Mrs. W. S. Cross returned to her home Saturday after a visit in Melbourne with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Branyon. Mrs. Cross was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Branyon and they returned to their home Saturday night.

Mrs. Adeline Wroten was able to return to her home, Monday, after spending several days in Everglades Memorial Hospital because of an attack of asthma.

Pfc. Richard Weeks was called from Fort Bliss, Texas, where he has been stationed to Canal Point, last weekend, because of the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Venera Weeks.

Food Preparation Is Club Topic

The preparation of arroz con pollo (chicken with rice) in Spanish style was demonstrated by Mrs. Ralph Duran, originally from Cuba, at the luncheon meeting of the Canal Point-Pahokee Home Demonstration Club held, October 4, at the Canal Point Community Building. Additional dishes were furnished by other members to complete the Spanish meal. Following the luncheon, Mrs. Duran distributed her recipe for chicken and rice, and told members how several other typical Cuban dishes are prepared.

During the business session, presided over by Mrs. Elmer Maxson, vice-president, it was announced that there will be a fair planning meeting October 11, from 10 a. m. to 12 noon, at the Mounts Building in West Palm Beach. Members interested in preparing a club exhibit for the South Florida Fair were urged to attend this meeting.

Miss Ann Sims, assistant HD agent of West Palm Beach, gave a talk on food economy. She exhibited charts showing how to determine the cost per pound, or pint of various size packages found on grocery shelves.

Miss Sims also explained how programs were planned for the coming year. The various phases of Home Demonstration work were explained and members were divided into small groups to discuss what type of programs the local club would like to have for 1963-64. The three types chosen were clothing and textiles; household and furnishings; and food and nutrition. Miss Sims stated that the desires of the club members are considered by the National Extension Service when programs are planned.

The program next month will be a Christmas idea exchange. Each member will bring materials to demonstrate an idea.

Guests were Mrs. Dick Miller, Mrs. J. L. McOall and Mrs. Mina Delgado.

Miss Diane Whiteside and Miss Sue Miller, students at Charron-Williams Commercial College in Miami, are expected here this weekend by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whiteside and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dunckelman had as their guest, Tuesday night, Dr. Luther L. Farrar, who is associated with Olin-Mathieson Chemical Company in Athens, Ga.

Rev. and Mrs. Guthrie Colvard and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Humphrey, Sr., Monday evening.

Mrs. Laurie Justice returned Monday after spending a long weekend with relatives in Bonifay and Chipley. She also attended the annual Williams' family reunion at Graceville.

Mrs. Dorothy Kilpatrick returned to her home at Christmas, Friday, after visiting relatives here. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Pearl Agner, who will be her house guest for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Morgan of Ft. Lauderdale and her mother, Mrs. Susie Blair of Paris, Texas, visited friends here on Monday.

Mrs. H. J. Anderson returned home last night (Thursday) after spending several days in Miami to be near her sister, Mrs. Daphne Reynolds, who is in a Miami hospital suffering from injuries she received in a fall from a stepladder. Mrs. Reynolds fell on concrete and broke her leg, wrist and heel.

Baptist Circles October Meetings

The four circles of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pahokee First Baptist Church held their October meetings at the homes of members, Tuesday.

The Betty Mills Circle met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Brown on East Main Street, with Mrs. W. K. Aldridge, immediate past chairman, presiding in the absence of Mrs. Claude Shirley, Sr., the new chairman.

A program on "Communism" was presented by Mrs. C. S. Davis, assisted by Mrs. J. H. Wilkinson, Jr., Mrs. Julian Branch, Mrs. J. W. Brown and Mrs. C. R. Wetherington.

It was announced that the mission project for the month will be cottage prayer meetings for the revival which is planned for November.

Refreshments were served to 11 members by the hostess.

"The Significance of the WMU Emblem" was the topic of the program presented by Mrs. W. A. Keen at the meeting of the Lottie Moon Circle in the home of Mrs. Morgan Mullis, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Keen was assisted in presenting the program by the circle chairman, Mrs. Marvin Crady.

It was announced that the November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Crady. Refreshments were served to 11 members during the social hour.

Mrs. R. S. Douthit presented the program "Labors Together with God" at the meeting of the Grace Jernigan Circle held at the new home of Mrs. Mary Hammond. She was assisted by Mrs. W. M. DuBose, Mrs. Wiley Tillis, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. E. B. Gamble, Mrs. M. J. Sapp and Mrs. Frank Thompson. Mrs. E. B. Gamble, circle chairman, presided during the business session. It was announced that the November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Thompson.

During the social hour, the eleven members attending, presented the hostess with a gift for her new home.

Members of the Faye Taylor Circle met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Crews with Mrs. Edwin Todd as co-hostess.

Mrs. Annette McCurdy presented a program on the origin of the

Bible, and Mrs. Mary Gore led in prayer.

It was announced that the community project for the month would be cottage prayer meeting.

Following the business session, with Mrs. Ralph Crews, circle chairman presiding, refreshments were served by the hostesses to 11 members and one visitor, Mrs. Ruby Guthrie.

Bake Sales Halt Until Halloween

Canal Point parents, who have been conducting bake sales each Saturday in front of Echols Grocery, have halted them until after Halloween.

Ballroom Dancing!

Classes will resume MONDAY, OCT. 15th, — 8 P. M., at the GLADES CLUB

This will be a ten week course, so try to come in for the first class. If interested call the Club or 824-7719.

See You Monday?

BETTY WILSON



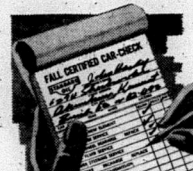
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Bridal Shower For Shirley Culberson

The home of Mrs. J. L. Humphrey, Sr., 530 East First Street, Pahokee, was the scene, Thursday evening of a bridal shower honoring Miss Shirley Culberson, bride-elect of James Lowe.

Hostesses with Mrs. Humphrey were Mrs. E. F. McIlwain, Mrs. Carlos Sloan, Mrs. Sheppard Pitts, Mrs. W. K. Aldridge, Mrs. Ora Powell, Mrs. George E. Powner, Mrs. Marvin Crady, Mrs. Mary Hammond, Mrs. Bill Moss, Mrs. George Lance and Mrs. Frank Thompson.

In the receiving line with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. A. E. Culberson and Mrs. Humphrey. Miss Culberson and her mother wore orchid corsages presented to them by the hostesses.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a punch bowl of cut glass, encircled with LaFrance hibiscus and fern. Mrs. Carlos Sloan served the punch and Mrs. Sheppard Pitts had charge of the guest book.

The bride-to-be received many lovely gifts, including the place setting of silver presented to her by the hostesses.

ENTERTAIN CHOR

Mrs. R. O. Shackford and Mrs. M. L. Wright entertained members of the Vesper Youth Choir of the Pahokee Methodist Church in the social hall of the church following the worship service, Sunday night.

AT FOOD MEETING

Mrs. Lola Carter, manager of the Canal Point School cafeteria, and Mrs. Pauline Amerson, of her staff, attended the Palm Beach County Food Service Association meeting held at the Glades Correctional Institution, last Saturday.

SHIRLEYS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shirley spent Monday night in Fort Meade with their son, Bob Shirley. They also visited briefly with their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bob Shirley, and new granddaughter, Lisa Jan, at Lakeland General Hospital.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE: New and used Willys Jeeps. Walter Ashley's Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 3058.
Oct. 17-54-ch

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Oct. 12-2tc

FOR RENT Small Furnished House. Call Mrs. Evie Keen at 924-7350 in Canal Point. Oct. 12c

National School Lunch Week Oct. 15

"National School Lunch Week" will be observed next week, Oct. 15-19, as proclaimed by President Kennedy and Governor Farris Bryant.

Plans are being made locally, as they are throughout Florida and Palm Beach County, by Mrs. Dorothy Stanley, manager of the Pahokee School Cafeteria, to observe this decree in a special way.

A cordial invitation is being extended to parents to come eat lunch with their children, next week, although they are welcome to visit anytime during the school year. Menus are posted for the week in the classrooms and in the school cafeteria. The price for a parent's lunch will be 35 cents, the regular adult price.

The menu for one of the lunches next week, which is a favorite of the students is: Sloppy Joes on buttered buns, Potato salad on lettuce cup, Beet greens, Stuffed celery, Vit "C" enriched cereal, Fruit Jello and 1/2 pint milk.

Each lunch provides at least a third of the required daily nutrients for a student and the prices, this year, are exceptionally low. A lunch costs only 25 cents in the first and second grades; 30 cents from the third through the sixth grades, and 35 cents from the seventh through high school. Extra half pints of milk cost only two cents.

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Two New Members Received By Club

Mrs. T. C. O'Steen and Mrs. H. Hendrix were received as new members of the Pahokee Woman's Club at the luncheon meeting held Wednesday with the new president, Mrs. C. M. Todd, presiding. The club voted to invite one of the senior girls at Pahokee High School, who will be selected by the faculty, to join as a student member.

Mrs. Frank Friend was elected the new treasurer and Mrs. Wiley Tillis was elected as auditor for the coming year during the business session.

The president gave a report on the Governor's Conference on the "cold war" which she attended at Miami Beach, July 18. She announced that the annual meeting of District 10, Florida Federation of Women's Clubs, will be held November 7 at the Boynton Beach Woman's Club.

It was announced that the next program will be on Indian affairs and the speaker will be Billy Osceola.

Hostesses in charge of the covered dish luncheon were Mrs. Lewis Friend, Mrs. E. B. Gamble, Mrs. Glenn Powell and Mrs. Wiley Tillis.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. (Bob) Shirley (June Peacock) of Fort Meade, announce the birth of a 6 lb., 1 oz. daughter, Lisa Jan, born in Lakeland General Hospital on October 6. The Shirleys also have a son, Bobbie, who is three years old. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shirley of Pahokee are the paternal grandparents.

VISIT IN GEORGIA

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Spear spent the weekend in Tifton, Georgia, visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris. They were accompanied to Tifton by his sister, Mrs. Sarah Hobby, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jane Haggins, in Canal Point.

O'Steens Visiting In Jacksonville

Rev. and Mrs. T. C. O'Steen left Monday for Jacksonville, where Mrs. O'Steen is visiting with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Larry O'Steen, this week. Rev. O'Steen and his son, Rev. Larry O'Steen are attending a called session of the Conference of Methodist Churches at the Youth Camp at Leesburg, being held October 8-12. Rev. T. C. O'Steen will also attend a meeting on Friday of the Historical Society of the Florida Conference, serving as a board member.

Annual Meeting Farm Bureau Oct. 16

The Everglades Farm Bureau will hold their annual meeting and barbecue on Tuesday, October 16, at the Community Center in Canal Point beginning at 7:00 p. m.

The board of directors would like to extend a personal invitation to all members and their families to attend this annual meeting. Farm Bureau will furnish the barbecue and each family is asked to bring a covered dish. The annual business meeting will be conducted following the meal.

Mrs. Inez Sheppard returned to her home in Roanoke, Alabama, Saturday after several weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sheppard of Canal Point.

Miss Alyce Joyce Spencer and Bill Whitcomb of Orlando, were the weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer.

Miss Margaret Daniel of Lakeland was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Apelgren and family.

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Equipment		11,576.91
Cash in Banks		115,380.48
Stock: Federal Intermediate Credit Bank		136,965.00
Automobiles		3,954.65
Soil and Water Loans, F. H. A.		15,239.98
U. S. Government Bonds		758,551.84
Other Assets		53,916.86
		<u>\$9,480,793.27</u>

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

Notes Payable: Federal Intermediate Credit Bank	\$7,525,872.37
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News Of The Churches

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Robert A. Shelley, Pastor
SUNDAY:
 10:00 a. m.—Church School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
MONDAY:
 3:15 p. m.—Youth Choir practice
TUESDAY:
 8:00 p. m.—Woman's Society
 1st Tuesday
2nd MONDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Ezther Class meeting
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

SUNDAY:
 9:45—Sunday School
 11:00—Morning Worship
 6:15—Training Union
 7:30—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30—Prayer Service

Canal Point Baptist Church

SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Training Union
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Church Of God, Barfield Highway

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 J. W. Hughes, Minister
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SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
TUESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Service
THURSDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Youth for Christ Service

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Belle Glade

August Koerber, Pastor
 601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade
SUNDAY:
 Divine Services 11 A. M.
 School 9:45 A. M.

First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. T. C. O'Steen
SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Church School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:45 p. m.—MYF
 7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
 7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice
WEDNESDAY:
 7:45 a. m.—Mid-week devotions
 8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice

The Pahokee Church Of The Nazarene

Rev. Max D. Jones, Pastor
 433 Bacom Point Rd.
 Phone 924-7528 P. O. Box 582
SUNDAY SERVICES:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Juniors
 7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting
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Canal Point First Baptist Church

Elder R. E. Barfield
SUNDAY:
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 7:00 p. m.—B. T. C.
 8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer Service
2nd and 4th TUESDAYS:
 7:30 p. m.—Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Father Francis Fennech, Pastor
 Sunday Mass — 11:30 a. m.
 Confessions before Mass

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church

Pahokee
 Rev. L. Lossing, Vicar
SUNDAY:
 10 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Worship Service

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY
 DIVIDENDS

The Church Of God Of Prophecy, Pahokee

Canal Point Road
 John H. Kinard, pastor
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service
 7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
 8:00 p. m. Tuesday—V.L.B.
 8:00 p. m. Thursday—W.M.B.
 Everyone welcome. Special music and singing.

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

Man's dominion over everything that would alienate him from God, good, will be emphasized Sunday at Christian Science services. Paul's healing ministry will be featured in the Bible readings. The Lesson-Sermon entitled "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?"

will include Paul's words to the Romans: "For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

This correlative citation will be among those read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. (p. 303): "When the evidence before the material senses yielded to spiritual sense, the apostle declared that nothing could alienate him from God, from the sweet sense and presence of Life and Truth."

ATTEND FUNERAL

Claude Shirley, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shirley of Indiantown, attended the funeral services for Mrs. W. J. Burks, Sr. 89, which were held Thursday in Griffin, Ga. Mrs. Burks was the mother of Mrs. Claude Shirley, Sr., who had been in Griffin at her bedside since the first week of September.

Bride-Elect Is Honored At Shower

The home of Miss Pam Boe, 2012 East Main Street, was the scene last Thursday evening of a calling shower honoring Miss Amanda Gretchen Pitts, bride-elect of Paul Charles Kohr.

Hostesses with Miss Boe were the Misses Dottie Lair, Verlon Jones, Wilma Cooper, Jan Plumer and Lodella Slaughter; Mrs. Evie Roberts and Mrs. Leona Raineri.

In the receiving line with Miss Boe were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Earl Pitts, and Mrs. Fannie Kohr, mother of the bridegroom-elect. Miss Pitts, Mrs. Pitts and Mrs. Kohr, all wore carnation corsages presented to them by the hostesses.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of white gladioli, pompons and sweetheart roses. A bouquet of sweetheart roses also graced the bride's book table.

Many lovely presents were received by the bride-to-be, including an electric iron, a gift from the hostesses.

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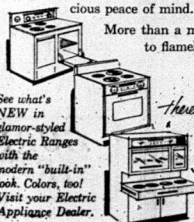
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Taxes To Be Lower

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Works of Belle Glade will re-cover the City Hall roof for \$1,599.
Stanley Chevrolet Inc. low bid of \$1,796 less trade-in was accepted for a new police car.

The city clerk was asked to re-advertise for six-year maintenance bids for the city's elevated water storage tanks after the council rejected all previous bids.

In other action, the council: Referred to the City Planning Board a request from George C. Culpepper that a lot across the street from Grassy Water Motel, E. Main Street, be rezoned from residential so that the motel can build a motel and efficiency apartment annex there.

Authorized five 2,500 - lumen street lights for 14th Street in Royal Palms Manor subdivision. The city will pay \$120 a year rent for the lights.

Authorized foreclosure of \$343.84

in delinquent sidewalk assessments in Sidewalk Project 1. The four property owners involved will be given 30 days warning.

Hired Mrs. Guy Wood to succeed R. W. Singletary as school traffic officer. Singletary has resigned from the Police Dept.

Councilman Carmen Salvatore's motion that all city insurance be awarded on a bid basis died for lack of a second.

Velma Williams Is—

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worthy advisor, Miss Velma Williams, and other new officers presiding. Plans for the covered dish dinner were completed.

Miss Sharon Hilton of Orlando, Grand Worthy Advisor of the State of Florida, was honored with a covered dish dinner, Wednesday evening, by the Pahokee Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls. Following an impressive program presented by members of the

Rainbow, Miss Hilton was given a money tree by the Pahokee Assembly. Miss Velma Williams, worthy advisor, made the presentation.

Mrs. Mary DeGraw, grand deputy, from Belle Glade was a special guest. Mrs. Marie Hughes, mother advisor, was in charge of the three meetings.

Eugene Cooper Is—

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was advanced to first class, and received two merit badges; Rodney Pennington and Bill Moss, Jr. advanced to second class; Roy Carraway received a merit badge; Glenn Stewart received a senior patrol leader's badge, and Alvin Miller received a tenderfoot badge.

During the vesper ceremony, Alvin Miller, Allen Ogle and eight Webelos were initiated into Troop 628.

Skits were presented by the Cubs of Pack 623 and the Scouts of Troop 628. The closing ceremony

prayer was given by "Pop"

Reynolds.
Scoutmaster Martinez wishes to thank the City of Pahokee and all others who made this Court of Honor possible.

Mrs. Juanita Lockmiller and children of Winlock, Wash. are visiting her father, J. G. Weeks in Canal Point after being called home, last weekend, by the death of her mother, Mrs. Venera Weeks.

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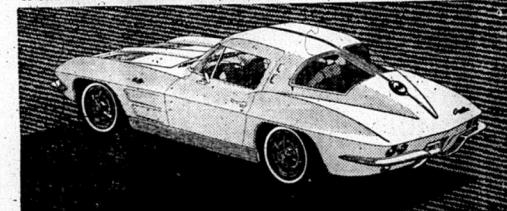
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